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In re Application of:

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VIDEO TITLES PROVIDED WITH  
AV FUNCTIONS AND VIDEO TITLES  
WITH NO SUCH FUNCTIONS WHICH  
CAN INSTANTLY DISTINGUISH  
BETWEEN SUCH KINDS OF TITLES,  
AND A REPRODUCTION  
APPARATUS AND REPRODUCTION  
METHOD FOR SUCH DISC

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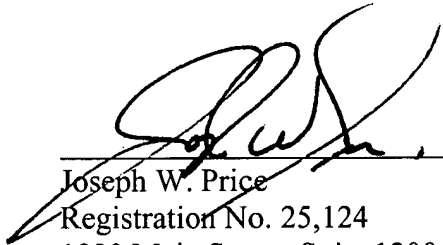
Attached hereto is a copy of the English translation of our priority document, Japanese Patent Application No. HO8-090851 filed on April 12, 1996, which is of record in the parent application, US Patent No. 6,336,002.

Applicants are providing this extra copy for the convenience of the Examiner.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone interview will help further the prosecution of this case, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number.

Very truly yours,

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In response to the Office Action of July 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified  
Application as follows: